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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.
Special to THE ASTORIAN.
FRESNO, Cal., April 12.—A shooting affray occurred near Summit lake yesterday, between A. M. Bently and L. W. Hitchcock, both farmers, which resulted in the death of the latter. It is understood that the shooting grew out of an old feud. Bently came hereafter the killing and surrendered. At the jail he stated that he went out with his rifle intending to drive some stray stock out of his grain field and met Hitchcock and another man. Hitchcock was armed with a shotgun. Bently says that as soon as they saw him Hitchcock fired and missed him. Bently returned the shot and Hitchcock fell and as he still moved, Bently says that fearing he might shoot again, he fired his rifle a second time, the shot taking effect between Hitchcock's eyes.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION
Following the announcement of the new state central committee J. T. Epperson moved that the rules be suspended and that the district nominations be taken up and ratified. Carried.
The district nominations were then made as follows:
DISTRICT ATTORNEYS.
First Judicial District—A. S. Hammond.
Second District—W. S. Hafford, of Benton county.
Third—H. H. Hewitt, of Albany.
Fourth—Henry E. McGinn, of Multnomah.
Fifth—T. A. McBride, of Clackamas.
Sixth—J. L. Rand for prosecuting attorney and J. A. Fee for district judge.
Seventh—W. R. Ellis, of Morrow.
Each of the above was in turn taken up as announced and confirmed.

PERSONAL MENTION.
J. W. Welch returned from Portland yesterday morning.
D. Cameron a former resident of Astoria and book keeper for Ford & Stokes, but now of Victoria B. C., is in the city on a short visit.
Rev. J. W. Webb, of Salem, who is canvassing the state in the interest of the prohibition party, made this office a pleasant call last evening.

The bark *Duleep Singh*, bound for the U. K. for orders, crossed out yesterday.
The magnificent weather still continues, and would be hard to beat in any country.
C. P. Huntington is reported as contemplating a new railroad to British Columbia.
Another newspaper will be started at Sprague, W. T., in a few days, by F. M. Winslip.
The *Julia Foard*, bound for Alaska, and the schooner *Premier*, for San Diego, sailed yesterday from this port.

CONKLING BETTER.
New York, April 12.—The news from Conkling's sick chamber this morning was of the most cheering kind, and there is every reason to believe that the dread crisis is passed. The patient spent one of the best nights since his illness.

JOINT NOMINATIONS.
The following joint nominations were made by the several delegations and were ratified by the convention: Joint senator for Union and Umatilla, A. R. Matson.
Joint senator for Union and Walla-wa, J. W. Norvall.
Joint senator from Tillamook, Columbia and Washington, T. A. Moore.
Joint senator from Wasco and Gilliam, Charles Hilton.
Joint senator from Klamath, Crook and Lake, C. M. Cartwright.
Joint representative from Yamhill and Tillamook, J. M. Maxwell.
Joint senator from Coos, Curry and Josephine, Walter Sinclair.

AN EXPLANATION.
What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown,—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

A creamery and pork-packing establishment are among the enterprises talked of for Colfax. What's the reason that someone does not start a creamery here?
It is said that Colfax and Palouse City are the only towns in Whitman county where a drink can be had without paying a physician a dollar to write out a prescription.
A large fruit cannery has been established at Albany and will be ready for the coming fruit crop. Their preparations are extensive and they expect to do a large business. Albany is enterprising and deserves the benefits that will accrue to her, for her efforts.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.
YOUNGSTOWN, April 12.—A fire originated in the gas foundry department of the Wood Reaper Works this morning which reduced that expensive plant to a mass of ruins. The loss is estimated at a quarter of a million. The insurance will reach \$80,000.

NOMINATIONS.
Hon. Binger Hermann was nominated for congress by acclamation.
Following is the second and last ballot for presidential electors:
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.
For presidential electors the following gentlemen were placed in nomination: M. L. Olmstead of Baker, J. W. Merritt of Jackson, C. W. Fulton of Clatsop, George S. Washburn of Lane, G. M. Irwin of Union, Wm. Kapus of Multnomah, John Kelsey of Benton, Robert McLean of Clackamas.
The first ballot resulted. (Whole number of votes cast, 208; necessary to a choice, 105.) Olmstead 88, Merritt 35, Fulton 106 (elected), Washburn 104, Irwin 9, Kapus 101, Kelsey 14, McLean 94, Richard Williams 7, blank 1.
Second ballot—Olmstead 76, Washburn 95, Kapus 108, Kelsey 1, McLean 122, blank 1.

ARE WE TO CELEBRATE?
The people of Aberdeen, W. T., seem to have the spirit and move necessary to build up a town. They have already commenced operations for a grand celebration on the 4th of July, and have sent over a bid for the Western Amateur band and orchestra of this city. It is said on good authority that they gathered a subscription of more than \$1,000 for the purpose of celebrating on the first day the paper was circulated, and that the first four men applied to gave \$100 each. Our band is the pride of Astoria step to the front and commence in earnest the necessary preparations for celebrating, they are likely to accept the offer of the people of Aberdeen. Last year we had an exceptionally successful and satisfactory time and our people reaped the benefit that would otherwise have gone elsewhere. Will someone start the ball going?

The will of the late John Roach, the well known ship-builder, has been filed for probate, and leaves all his estate to be divided among the members of his family. The Oregon Improvement Co. have a suit against the estate for \$100,000 for damages on an alleged breach of contract.

PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12.—The president has appointed Frederick Condit of New York, Franklin McVeigh, of Illinois, Alex. C. Haskell, of South Carolina, M. A. Haman, of Ohio, and Jas. A. Savage, of Nebraska, as government directors of the Union Pacific railway company.

NATIONAL CONVENTION DELEGATES.
Nominations of delegates to the national Republican convention was next in order, and the following named gentlemen were placed in nomination: Jonathan Bourne, Jr., of Multnomah, Z. F. Moody of Wasco, Hon. Rufus Mallory of Multnomah, H. E. Hovey of Lane, W. C. Johnson of Clackamas, W. D. Hare of Washington, J. F. Baker of Union, Lee Laughlin of Yamhill, J. W. Cusick of Linn, J. S. Cooper of Polk, Geo. W. Kimball of Douglas, J. E. Bean of Umatilla, F. Pierce Mays of Wasco.
The first ballot resulted as follows: Bourne 101, Moody 127, Mallory 132, Hovey 32, Johnson 78, Hare 65, Baker 36, Laughlin 58, Cusick 130, Cooper 97, Kimball 98, Bean 149, Mays 110.
As it had been settled by ballot that the six gentlemen receiving the highest vote should be declared the nominees, the result was announced by the chairman as follows: Jonathan Bourne, Z. F. Moody, J. W. Cusick, J. E. Bean, F. Pierce Mays and Hon. Rufus Mallory were declared to be the nominees of the convention.

THE FUNERAL SERVICES OF THE LATE GEN. JNO. ADAIR WERE HELD WEDNESDAY AT THE CHAPEL OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS, UPPER ASTORIA, REV. WM. S. SHORT, RECTOR, OFFICIATING. There was a large attendance of sorrowing friends, together with the members of Temple Lodge of this city, of which the General was a member, who gave every evidence of sympathy and respect. After the church services at the grave were concluded, the regular ritual of the Masonic order, which was exceedingly impressive, was performed.

The delegates to the Republican national convention are Jonathan Bourne, Jr., Z. F. Moody, Rufus Mallory, J. W. Cusick, J. E. Bean and F. P. Mays. The alternates are A. G. Hovey, W. C. Johnson, W. D. Hare, J. F. Baker, Lee Laughlin, J. S. Cooper and George Kimball.
The Salem bridge suicide case that has perplexed the people of the capital city for some weeks has at last been solved. The body was found among the brush at the foot of Cliftonwood island, in the water, last Tuesday, and a coroner's inquest was held. The throat had been cut before he leaped from the bridge. It was found that his name was Robert W. Jones, and his residence Seattle.

A NARROW ESCAPE.
PORTLAND, April 12.—A gentleman who arrived here on the train from Spokane this morning, which should have reached here at six o'clock last evening, states that an accident, which might have cost many lives, occurred on the Northern Pacific road yesterday, at a point known as Lake, ten miles the other side of Pasco. The train was running through a cut where the track was obstructed by two steers. The hind truck of a passenger car was torn away, the car running half a mile before it was ditched, and then the entire train was thrown off the track, with the exception of the engine and Pullman car. The baggage cars were completely demolished and the track torn up for a distance of one hundred yards. The passengers were badly shaken up, but none injured.

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A Woman's Discovery.
"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this country. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Herrick & Co. of Shelbyville, N. C.—Get a free trial bottle at W. E. Dement & Co.'s Drug Store.
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Increased activity in the line of substantial improvement is noticeable. The local record in this respect during the present building season bids fair to surpass that of any in this city for years. Particularly will this be the case, if projected plans mature, in the matter of permanent business blocks. There seem to be many cogent reasons why this should be true. Confidence in extraordinary commercial promise, aided by reasonable energy and that degree of the spirit of progress which the occasion unquestionably invites, will work wonders for this locality within a twelvemonth.

THE JUVENILE OPERA COMPANY.
Ross' opera house was well filled last evening to witness the first performance of the Juvenile Opera company in the opera of "Olivette," and from the frequent applause accorded them it is evident that they met with unusual favor. It seems hardly credible that such young people, really children, the three girls taking the leading characters being under 17 years of age, can do such excellent work. The singing song in the first act, as sung by pretty little Camille Cleveland, was an artistic piece of work, as was also the duet, "I Love My Love," sung in the second act. As the plotting, scheming due des its, Julia Martin is a perfect picture and has a very finished conception of the part. The conspiracy scene with Coquelicot in the second act was particularly good. Teddy Gamble, in his "Bob Up Serenely" song and grotesque dancing, provoked roars of laughter. With proper care the boy will make a second Francis Wilson, the pet comedian of New York.

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The failure of the salmon catch in the Sacramento river during the past few years has been the subject of diligent inquiry. Those best entitled to speak attribute it to three causes. The first is the rapid filling up of the river by debris from the hydraulic mining upon its headwaters. This choked up many of the little streams in which salmon formerly spawned, and has obstructed the river generally. The river was thus caused to overflow its banks and create a heavy growth of tule upon surrounding places. The water recedes very quickly and leaves thousands of young fish high and dry to die among the weeds. A second cause of the decrease is found in the illegal fishing by reckless foreigners, who catch everything, old and young, despite the law and the strenuous efforts of authorities to prevent it; a third cause is the great colony of seals and sea lions swarming around the Golden Gate, which eat and mangle thousands of migrating fish every day. Finally, it is alleged, the United States fish commission has not deposited young salmon as plentifully in the headwaters of the Sacramento as in many other streams on the coast. It is seriously doubted that the Sacramento river will ever again be as productive in salmon as formerly.

Field Glasses Found.
A pair of field glasses, were found at Uniontown last fall. The owner can recover his property by calling on John Lumery at Uniontown, paying charges and proving property.
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